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FOR AMBASSADOR BYROADE FROM STAFFORD, MANAGER, BANGKOK  
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SUBJ: NOTICE OF GAO VISIT ON SURVEY OF POPULATION ASSISTANCE  
PROGRAM AND RELATED ACTIVITIES IN PAKISTAN

THE U.S. GENERAL ACCOUNTING OFFICE IS UNDERTAKING A  
SURVEY OF POPULATION ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS AND RELATED ACTI-  
VITIES IN PAKISTAN. THE PURPOSE OF THE SURVEY IS TO DETER-  
MINE WHETHER MEANINGFUL ANALYSES CAN BE MADE OF AVAILABLE  
DATA THAT WILL BE USEFUL TO THE CONGRESS IN ITS DELIBERA-  
TIONS CONCERNING THE AUTHORIZATION AND APPROPRIATION FOR  
POPULATION AND FAMILY PLANNING PROGRAMS.

OUR SURVEY EFFORTS WILL INCLUDE GATHERING INFORMATION  
ON POPULATION AND CERTAIN SOCIO-ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PRO-  
GRAMS THAT ARE AFFECTED BY THE POPULATION GROWTH RATE AND  
THAT HAVE AN IMPACT ON THE QUALITY OF LIFE IN PAKISTAN.

THE PROGRAMS TO BE SURVEYED ARE THOSE OF THE UNITED  
STATES, THE HOST COUNTRY, U.N. ORGANIZATIONS, PRIVATE  
VOLUNTARY ORGANIZATIONS, AND OTHER DONOR COUNTRIES. FOR  
YOUR INFORMATION, THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE AND THE AGENCY  
FOR INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT WERE ADVISED OF THIS SURVEY  
BY LETTERS DATED JANUARY 22, 1976.

WE ESTIMATE THAT THE INITIAL SURVEY WORK WILL TAKE  
APPROXIMATELY 4 TO 5 WEEKS. AT THE END OF THIS PERIOD  
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THE GAO AUDIT STAFF WILL CONFER WITH A REPRESENTATIVE FROM GAO'S WASHINGTON OFFICE TO REVIEW THE INFORMATION OBTAINED. A DETERMINATION WILL BE MADE AT THAT TIME AS TO WHETHER ADDITIONAL WORK IS WARRANTED AND WHETHER GAO WILL REPORT TO CONGRESS ON THE RESULTS OF OUR WORK. WORK ON THIS ASSIGNMENT WILL BE UNDER THE DIRECTION OF JAMES N. STAFFORD, MANAGER, BANGKOK OFFICE; AND WILL BE PERFORMED BY THE FOLLOWING GAO REPRESENTATIVES: BONNELL, JAMES R., SUPERVISOR  
HARTER, OLIVER G.  
BROWNING, JAMES D.

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE PERSONNEL LISTED ABOVE HAVE BEEN GRANTED SECURITY CLEARANCE FOR OFFICIAL PURPOSES FOR ACCESS TO SECURITY INFORMATION CLASSIFIED UP TO AND INCLUDING TOP SECRET ON THE BASIS OF EXECUTIVE ORDER 10450. THIS CERTIFICATION IS NOT TO BE HONORED UNLESS THE REPRESENTATIVES NAMED HEREIN PRESENT OFFICIAL U.S. GENERAL ACCOUNTING OFFICE CREDENTIALS.

STAFF WILL ARRIVE KARACHI VIA PA 001 AT 0810 ON FEBRUARY 17 AND PROCEED TO RAWALPINDI VIA PK 308 AT 1800 ON THE SAME DATE (ARRIVE 1950). REQUEST ASSISTANCE IN CLEARING CUSTOMS AT KARACHI AND TRANSPORTATION FROM RAWALPINDI TO ISLAMABAD. ALSO REQUEST RESERVATIONS (3 SINGLES) AT USAID STAFF HOUSE IN ISLAMABAD THROUGH MARCH 19.

PLEASE MAKE ARRANGEMENTS FOR GAO STAFF TO MEET WITH APPROPRIATE EMBASSY AND USAID OFFICIALS ON WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 18 TO DISCUSS NATURE AND SCOPE OF WORK TO BE PERFORMED.

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